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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Blinkosky et al.

Confirmation No: 9075

Serial No.: 09/080,127

Group Art Unit: 1647

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Examiner: S.Turner

For: Polypeptides Having Aminoamidase Activity And Nucleic Acids Encoding Same

AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed **May 18, 2001**.

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action be extended for a period of **3 months** from **August 19, 2001** to **November 18, 2001**. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be **\$890.00**.

No additional claims fee is required.

Please charge the required extension and claims fees, estimated to be **\$890.00**, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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